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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.71, the assignee hereby states that prosecution of the above-referenced patent application is to be conducted to the exclusion of the inventor(s).

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ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, KSR, which has a place of business at 170 Tracer Lane, Waltham, Massachusetts 02154, is owner of all right, title and interest in and to the Patent Properties; and

WHEREAS, Sun Microsystems, Inc., ("SMI") a Delaware Corporation, which has a place of business at 2550 Garcia Avenue, Mountain View, California 94043, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the Patent Properties;

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I set my hand and seal hereto at Waltham, Massachusetts
this 15th day of February 1996

Kendall Square Research Corporation

By: Stacey M. Cannon
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Corporate Secretary

State of Massachusetts)
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On this 15 day of February 1996, before me appeared Stacey M. Cannon, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed.

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EXHIBIT

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U. S. Patent No. 5,055,999
Issued October 8, 1991
Title: Multiprocessor Digital Data Processing System

U. S. Patent No. Des. 324,376
Issued March 3, 1992
Title: Modular Computer Assembly (Design)

U. S. Patent No. 4,934,764
Issued June 19, 1990
Title: Computer System Module Assembly

U. S. Patent No. 5,251,308
Issued October 5, 1993
Title: Improved Multiprocessor System

U. S. Patent No. 5,297,265
Issued March 22, 1994
Title: Shared Memory Multiprocessor System And Method Of Operation Thereof

U. S. Patent No. 5,335,325
Issued August 2, 1994
Title: High Speed Switching Apparatus And Method

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U. S. Patent No. 5,282,201
Issued January 25, 1994
Title: Dynamic Packet Routing Network

U. S. Patent No. 5,226,039
Issued July 6, 1993
Title: Packet Routing Switch

U. S. Patent No. 5,341,483
Issued August 23, 1994
Title: Dynamic Hierarchical Associative Memory

U. S. Patent No. Des. 338,663
Issued August 24, 1993
Title: Cap For Stacks Of Modular Computer Units

U. S. Patent No. 5,119,481
Issued June 2, 1992
Title: Multiprocessor System With Shift Register Bus

U. S. Patent No. Des. 343,828
Issued February 1, 1994
Title: Computer Cable Through

U. S. Patent No. 5,313,647
Issued May 17, 1994
Title: Digital Data Processor With Improved Checkpointing And Forking

U. S. Patent No. 5,245,563
Issued September 14, 1993
Title: Control Signal Method And Device

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U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/189,497

Filed December 31, 1994

Title: Improved Method And Apparatus For Data Access In Multiprocessor Digital Data Processing System

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/360,050

Filed December 20, 1994

Title: Method And Apparatus For Timing Control

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/403,308

Filed March 14, 1995

Title: Multiprocessor Digital Data Processing System/Shared Memory Multiprocessor System And Method Of Operation

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/461,167

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Title: Improved Digital Data Processor With Distributed Memory System

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/461,174

Filed June 5, 1995

Title: Digital Data Processor With Improved Paging

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/461,166

Filed June 5, 1995

Title: Multiprocessor System With Multiple Instructions

U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/462,759

Filed June 5, 1995

Title: Fault Containment System For Multiprocessor With Shared Memory

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U. S. Patent Application Ser. No. 08/461,178

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Title: Parallel Processing Apparatus And Method For Utilizing Tiling

PCT Application Ser. No. PCT/US95/01356

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Title: Improved Method And Apparatus For Data Access In Multiprocessor Digital Data Processing System

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